PATENT Attorney Docket No. 0035.009/63435

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Serial No. 08/089,407

Examiner: M. Woodward

Filed: July 28, 1993

For: HIV IMMUNOASSAYS USING

SYNTHETIC ENVELOPE POLYPEPTIDES (AS AMENDED)

> PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

`Dsir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby · petitions for a three-month extension of time to and including Ostober 2, 1995, to file a response to the Office Action of March 31, 1995, which carried an original response date of June 30, 1995.

The fee of \$900.00 for the three-month extension fee should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.

Signed at Chicago, in the County of Cook, and State of Illinois, on October 2, 1995.

Respectfully submitted,

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